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Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 2, 2005 for one (1) month(s) from December 2, 2005 to January 2, 2006. A Response to the aforesaid Office Action is being filed concurrently herewith.

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